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INFO AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM

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E.O. 11652: N/A DECON UPON RECEIPT

TAGS: PINT TZ

SUBJECT: FURTHER DELAY IN ZANZIBAR TREASON TRIAL

PASS PAOS

1. ZANZIBAR TREASON TRIAL RECONVENED NOVEMBER 28, WITH ATTORNEY GENERAL DOURADO PREPARED TO BEGIN FINAL PROSECUTION STATEMENT. COURT DECLINED TO HEAR PROSECUTION SUMMARY, HOWEVER, ON GROUNDS THAT THREE-MAN PANEL OF JUDGES HAS THUS FAR BEEN UNABLE TO COMPLETE ITS "FULL AND CAREFUL- CONSIDERATION OF ALL PROSECUTION AND DEFENSE TESTIMONY. CHIEF JUDGE STATED THAT THESE DELIBERATIONS WOULD BE COMPLETED IN NEAR FUTURE AND THAT COURT WOULD THEN BE PREPARED TO HEAR PROSECUTION STATEMENT.

2. COURT RECESSED WITHOUT SETTING NEW DATE, BUT AGREED THAT 10 DAYS NOTICE WOULD BE GIVEN FOR NEXT SESSION, IN ORDER THAT LOCAL AND FOREIGN PRESS WHO WISHED TO RETURN WOULD HAVE AMPLE NOTICE.

3. DOURADO, WHO OFFICE PUT OUT INVITATION TO FOREIGN PRESS, WAS OBVIOUSLY EMBARRASSED BY TODAY'S NON-EVENT, BUT IN HIS BRIEF STATEMENT IN COURT, HE SUGGESTED THAT REPORTERS MIGHT USE THEIR PRESENCE TO SEE MORE OF ZANZIBAR AND TO OBSERVE DEVELOPMENT

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PROJECTS, EXPRESSING THE HOPE THAT, IF THEY DID SO, THEIR

COVERAGE OF ZANZIBAR MIGHT BE "LESS HOSTILE" IN THE FUTURE.
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